



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Ryo Inoue et al.
Serial No. : 09/823,276
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Title : PEAK POWER REDUCTION WHEN UPDATING FUTURE FILE

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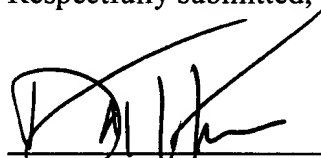
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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated August 12, 2004, be extended for two months to and including January 12, 2005.

Enclosed is a check for \$450 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, reference 10559-393001.

Respectfully submitted,

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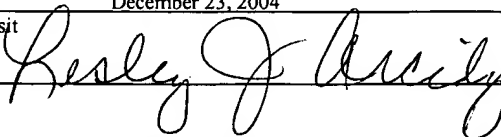
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